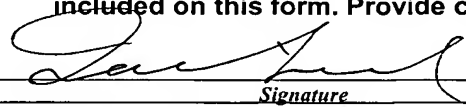
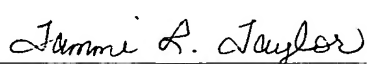


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Invention: <b>IMIDO-TETHERED CARBENES OF MOLYBDENUM FOR RING-OPENING METATHESIS POLYMERIZATION AND RING-CLOSING METATHESIS</b>					
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In response to the Office Action mailed April 11, 2006, the Applicants amend and remark as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 24 of this paper.

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application: